



*State of New Jersey*  
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL  
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY  
DIVISION OF LAW  
PO Box 45029  
Newark, NJ 07101

CHRIS CHRISTIE  
*Governor*

KIM GUADAGNO  
*Lt. Governor*

JOHN J. HOFFMAN  
*Acting Attorney General*

JEFFREY S. JACOBSON  
*Director*

May 26, 2015

By certified and regular mail  
Ms. Daquashia C. Sisco  
2872 Tuckahoe Road  
Camden, NJ 08104

Re: Final Order of Discipline

Dear Ms. Sisco:

Enclosed please find a copy of a Final Order of Discipline, filed by the New Jersey State Board of Nursing on May 26, 2015. By the terms of the order, your certificate to practice as a homemaker-home health aide has been suspended and a \$200 civil penalty has been imposed. For payment instructions, please see page 4, paragraph #2 of the order.

Thank you for your attention.

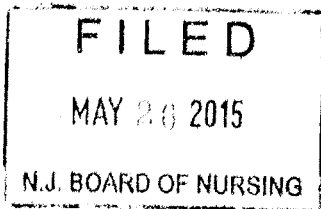
Sincerely yours,

JOHN J. HOFFMAN  
ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL OF NEW JERSEY

By: Susan Carboni  
Susan Carboni  
Deputy Attorney General

Enc.





STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY  
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
STATE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION OR  
REVOCATION OF THE CERTIFICATE OF

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION

FINAL ORDER OF DISCIPLINE

Daquashia C. Sisco, C.H.H.A.  
Certificate No.: 26NH14783300

TO PRACTICE AS A CERTIFIED  
HOMEMAKER-HOME HEALTH AIDE  
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing (the "Board") upon receipt of information which the Board has reviewed and on which the following preliminary findings of fact and conclusions of law are made:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Daquashia C. Sisco, ("Respondent") is the holder of Homemaker Health Aid Certificate 26NH14783300 in the State of New Jersey.

2. On January 23, 2014, Respondent was arrested by the Cherry Hill Township Police Department in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:35-10A(4) (Possession of Marijuana/Hash Under) and N.J.S.A. 2C:36-2.

3. Upon receipt of the flagging notice, the Board sent a letter of inquiry, requesting certain information and submission

of documents, to Respondent's address of record in Camden, New Jersey, via regular and certified mail, on January 29, 2014. The regular mail was not returned and the certified mail was returned to the Board.

4. To date, Respondent has not responded to the Board's Inquiry.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Respondent's failure to respond to the Board's request for information constitutes a failure to cooperate with a Board investigation, in contravention of N.J.A.C. 13:45C-1.2 and 1.3, in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(e), subjecting Respondent to disciplinary action pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(h).

Based on the foregoing findings and conclusions, a Provisional Order of Discipline was entered on May 16, 2014, provisionally suspending respondent's certification to practice as a homemaker-home health aide and imposing a \$200 civil penalty. A copy of the Order was served upon respondent by certified and regular mail at her address of record. The Provisional Order was subject to finalization by the Board at 5:00 p.m. on the 30<sup>th</sup> day following entry unless respondent requested a modification or dismissal of the stated Findings of Fact or Conclusions of Law by submitting a written request for modification or dismissal setting forth in writing any and all

reasons why said findings and conclusions should be modified or dismissed and submitting any and all documents or other written evidence supporting respondent's request for consideration and reasons therefor.

Respondent responded to the Provisional Order on September 17, 2014, in that a fax was received from the Township of Cherry Hill Municipal Court with a printout indicating that charges of drug possession by a motor vehicle operator, N.J.S.A. 39:4-49.1, had been dismissed on May 15, 2014. No other information accompanied this submission, and while the faxed documents bore respondent's name, there was no copy of the municipal court complaint, no narrative statement setting forth respondent's version of the facts and circumstances that led to the arrest, and no clear indication that the disposition related to the arrest that was the subject of the Board's original inquiry. The Board considered this matter, and determined that respondent had still not complied with the Board's request for information and documents, and that the Provisional Order should be made final.

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2015,

ORDERED that:

1. Respondent's certificate to practice as a homemaker-home health aide be and hereby is suspended until such time as Respondent cooperates fully with the Board's investigation by

providing the Board with the information requested in the Board's letter of inquiry dated January 29, 2014.

2. A civil penalty in the amount of \$200.00 is hereby imposed upon Respondent for failing to cooperate with a Board investigation. Payment shall be made by certified check or money order, payable to the State of New Jersey, delivered to George Hebert, Executive Director, State Board of Nursing, P.O. Box 45010, Newark, New Jersey 07101. Payment shall be made no later than 15 days after the entry of this order. In the event Respondent fails to make a timely payment, a certificate of debt shall be filed in accordance with N.J.S.A 45:1-24 and the Board may bring such other proceedings as authorized by law.

3. Respondent shall refrain from practicing as a homemaker-home health aide and shall not represent herself as a certified homemaker-home health aide until such time as her certification is reinstated. Any practice in this State prior to such reinstatement shall constitute grounds for a charge of unlicensed practice.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By: Patricia Murphy PhD APN  
Patricia Murphy, PhD, APN  
President

